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Greetings from the President,

The holidays are a time for reflection and thanks. I thank you for your continuous support of the work of the Greater Mondawmin Coordinating Council. I thank you for joining us in the fight to keep our neighborhoods safe and clean. I thank you for encouraging me as I hold up the blood-stained banner for inclusion and justice. I thank you for your sage advice and faith in our work. I thank our partners who support us and allow us to be at the table – your partnership is invaluable.



As we enter the Christmas season – I am thankful for the opportunity to give to the community and our ability to give to others in need. GMCC has chosen Light Health and Wellness to be a blessing to this season. We are donating undergarments for the little ones attending the center – we want to keep them warm as they stand on the bus stops during the winter.

I look forward to serving you in 2018 and I am grateful for the opportunity to serve.

Keep the faith,  
*Jackie*

Jacqueline I. Caldwell  
President, GMCC

COPPIN REPERTORY THEATRE  
PRESENTS

# TELL PHARAOH

THE CRIES OF AFRICA'S NEW WORLD CHILDREN



WRITTEN BY LOFTEN MITCHELL • ADAPTED AND DIRECTED BY WILLIE O. JORDAN

Performance Schedule:  
December 8, 9 & 11 at 7:30 p.m.  
December 10 at 3:00 p.m.

Ticket Prices:  
General Admission \$20.00  
Senior Citizens \$15.00  
Non-Coppin Students \$10.00  
Coppin Students (w/ID) \$5.00

Purchase tickets online at  
[tellpharaoh.brownpapertickets.com](http://tellpharaoh.brownpapertickets.com)

Venue:  
The Theatre Lab  
Grace Jacobs Building  
(Lower Level)

Coppin State University  
2500 West North Avenue  
Baltimore, Maryland 21216

Info/Tix: 410-951-3369





Friends:

The Mount Lebanon Baptist Church is partnering with Baltimore City Council President Jack Young for his 6th Annual Toys for Tots Holiday Drive. We have agreed to be one of his Mondawmin **area's drop off sites. Last year this program raised and purchased over \$55,000 worth of toys that were loaded and delivered to the U.S. Marines' Toys for Tots for delivery to children and families who otherwise might not have any toys at Christmas time.**

I send you this message not only to let you know about our partnership, but really to ask for your support. Between now and December 10th, I am asking that you donate a new unwrapped toy, You can donate by dropping your toy(s) off at the Mount Lebanon Baptist Church, 2812 Reisterstown Road, Monday—Friday from 10:30am—3:00pm or on Sundays from 8:00am—12:00 noon. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (410) 669- 1800 or via email at [patorlance@mtlebanonbaptist.org](mailto:patorlance@mtlebanonbaptist.org).

Sincerely,

Pastor Frank Lance



GMCC FNDRAISER,  
AFTERNOON OF  
JAZZ



On October 7, 2017, Terry Koger & Group along with Panway Community VP, Sandra Crawford, provide entertainment for a successful and pleasing crowd. Handsome, M.C. Tony White from the Mayor's office. The fundraiser was able to generate funds for GMCC area college Students Book Award for 2018. A committee is being established and will work along with area colleges to make selections. The guest were served a delicious menu along with delicious wine for an enjoyable afternoon. Not only was there music, but also basket door prizes and a grand prize of a red, cashmere wrap, trimmed in black fox. Information will be forthcoming of the candidates for the Book Award. We want to thank all of you whom participated and also our corporate contributors. Now let's take a look at some of the guest. Do you see yourself?



## THE NEW AUCHENTOROLY TERRACE ASSOCIATION, INC..

Barbara Anderson-Dandy, President

### **THE NEW AUCHENTOROLY TERRACE ASSOCIATION, INC.- Barbara Anderson-Dandy, President**

ATA's monthly meeting was held at Parks & People Foundation - The Stone House on Thursday November 9, 2017

Vice President Brenda Simmons opened the meeting and Chaplain Deacon Tally Murray lead our opening prayer.

The minutes were read by Secretary, Vivian Comer and approved as read.



**Thanks for Joining Us! Partners: Dan Midvidy, President,** Meadow Property Management Corporation Corporation,

(3400 Auchentoroly Terrace), **Terrance Brown, DPW; Officer Randolph,** WDPD Collaboration Unit. Updates and upcoming initiatives were shared.

#### **Agenda:**

**Michel Anderson, Education & Outreach Manager, Blue Water Baltimore/ Laura Wheaton-** Provided residents with an overview of Mondawmin Deep Blue Plan, a partnership of Blue Water Baltimore, Baltimore City DPW and the Neighborhood Design Center. Deep Blue is a community based approach to stormwater planning, with the goal of identifying projects to address neighborhood priorities and help improve the environment. The Deep Blue Project List, The Process, Neighborhood Maps and Resources were presented. For more information, contact: [www.bluewaterbaltimore.org](http://www.bluewaterbaltimore.org). **Ivan Bates, Democratic candidate for State's Attorney- Baltimore City-** Residents welcomed the candidate. Mr. Bates provided residents with issues he would address if elected and a Q & A period followed.

**Melissa Wells, Community Liaison- C.H.O.I.C.E Community Hub for Opportunities in Construction Employment-** Provided residents with valuable information in reference to the **Building Trade Apprentice Program**. Building Trades apprenticeship are on-the-job construction training programs that allow apprentices to earn while they learn. There are eleven training centers serving the City of Baltimore to provide the investment in the next generation of construction workers. Contact Melissa Wells ([MWell@CHOICEWorks.org](mailto:MWell@CHOICEWorks.org)) or 202-674-1916 for more information or to schedule a tour of one of the apprenticeship training centers.

#### **Good News Gallery: Congratulations!**

ATA's Youth Patrol, Malia, Shawn, Tyrell, Tyonna, and Stephon, participated in Global Air Media's at BUILD-A- DRONE Workshop at TouchPoint Baltimore @ Mondawmin Mall on Saturday, November 4, 2017. The workshop introduced and engaged youth with STEM related curriculum. Each participant received a Build-a-Drone kit, workbook and tools to build their drone. Special Thanks to Global Air Media LLC, TouchPoint and the many sponsors.



ATA's Walking Tour on Friday, November 17, 2017 was a huge success. Special Thanks to Councilman Leon Pinkett for organizing the many city agencies that could address our concerns, on the spot, in reference to vacant properties, sanitation, code violations, loitering, etc. Our community will continue to partner with city agencies to improve the quality of life for residents. Thank You to everyone who participated in the Walking Tour. Photos by Graham Coreil-Allen.

**LAST Meeting of the Year: Thursday, December 14, 2017 at Parks & People, The Stone House, 7pm.**

# Merry Christmas



The RWC November meeting was held, Tuesday, November 7<sup>th</sup> and we had a number of guest for the evening to include: a representative of the Clean Water Organization. This organization is reaching out to all communities and providing free water lead testing. Also, attending was a representative from Rails to Trails and Senator Barbara Robinson. Senator Robinson, provided some highlights of upcoming measures that will be undertaken for the upcoming session.

## "WISDOM WALL"

We first introduced the Wisdom Wall mural to you back in June. RWC has partnered with Episcopal Housing and submitted a grant for the construction of a Mural on the corner of W. North Avenue and Warwick. Well, we are at the point of a formal introduction of the finished product, **Thursday, December 14, 2017 @ 4:00 P.M.**, after which we will convene inside of the Norman Ross Building of St. Stephens Court. L to R: top row: Matthew Henson, Robert W. Coleman, William S. Baer, Bottom: Fannie J. Coppin, Elizabeth Seton & Frederick Douglass.



## SANITATION ENFORCEMENT

We want to thank our neighbor and resident Mr. Delice, for his enthusiasm and interest in a cleaner community. He has reached out and provided RWC with a partnership with CSU students. We have had a desire for some time for a Sanitation Enforcement team, thank you. Our plan is to put together a group that will improve the attractiveness for the community.



Submitted By,

A. Hutchinson. President

## REACH OUT AND HELP SOMEONE.

With our final meeting upcoming for the year, we have reached out and adopted a family to support for the holiday. Our family of three will be recognized and presented with gifts at our upcoming meeting, Dec. 5<sup>th</sup>.



If you would like to contribute toys, hats, gloves or scarfs for a 6 & 7 year old girl. Items can be dropped off at the Robert Coleman Elem. During regular school hours.

## HOLIDAY SAFETY TIPS

Now is the time that so many of us are out shopping; however, it's a time to be cautious of our surroundings. 1. If shopping in more than one store, place your purchased items in the car trunk and not on the seat. 2. Park in well-lit areas.

## HAPPY BIRTHDAY – DEC. MEMBERS

We want to wish a Happy Birthday to our December's members.

## SICK & SHUT IN

Take a moment to reach out to the sick & shut in. Perhaps, your smile maybe the only one that they've seen for some time.



**TO GOD BE THE GLORY...THANK YOU JESUS!**  
**for Christian Liberty Church's**  
**2017 Annual O' GIVE THANKS SUNDAY** Worship Service  
*Community Thanksgiving Dinner & Food Basket Giveaway, - Sunday, November 19<sup>th</sup>*



***Door to Door Neighborhood Evangelism and Distribution of Flyers resulted in...  
 \*lives transformed by the Word of God!...+200 Turkey Food Baskets given away...and 400 dinners served  
 with the aid of Mission Teams from Hephzibah Baptist Church, Bethlehem Baptist Church, & the  
 River Community Church, all of whom traveled from North Carolina to serve in Baltimore!***



***Congratulations to Imagine Me Ministries for their Ten Year Anniversary  
 Evening of Jubilation held on Tuesday, November 7, 2017 in Hunt Valley, MD!***

Theme: "We are Inspired...Embraced...Promised!" based on Jeremiah 29:11  
 Founder and Executive Director of IMM, Mrs. Pascha Lee, received a Citation from  
 The Mayor of the City of Baltimore for the 10 years of IMM's mentoring of Baltimore City girls  
 to embrace a life of promise!



***You are Invited to Christian Liberty Church's Annual Christmas Celebration,  
 Christmas Dessert Fellowship & Toy Giveaway on Sunday, December 24, 2017 at 10:00 a.m.!***

**Christian Liberty Church**

Worship Services are held each Sunday at 10:00 a.m.  
 Auditorium of Frederick Douglass High School  
 2301 Gwynns Falls Parkway, Baltimore, MD 21217

Ministry Center: 2401 Liberty Heights Ave, Suite 1101,  
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*Merry Christmas and have  
a wonderful New Year*

*from the*

*Office of GMCC*

*Karen & Vernice*



# Healthy Neighborhoods Target Block House For Sale

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**If Interested please contact this home's listing agent**

Sean Wilson of Keller Williams Legacy

Contacts Numbers: Phone: 410-314-5111, Mobile: 443-801-7748, Office: 443-660-9229

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